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Gordon D. Walker, Director Division of Housing and Community Development 324 South State Street, Suite 500 Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Dear Mr. Walker:

It is my pleasure to inform you that Utah has received the "Early Bird Award" for their 2008 Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Information Systems Survey database. Each year, the National Association for State Community Services Programs (NASCSP) presents this award to States that submit databases the earliest before the March 31 deadline.

As the top State in the Small category (1-14 Community Action Agencies), the Utah Department of Community and Culture, Division of Housing and Community Development, State Community Services Office, was presented with this award at the NASCSP Mid-Winter Training Conference in Bethesda, Maryland on February 24, 2010.

This annual award recognizes the dedication and timeliness that Utah exemplifies. We at NASCSP acknowledge and appreciate the commitment to excellence of the entire Utah CSBG network that made this happen. Keep up the great work!

Best Regards,

Timothy Warfield

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